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## RUINS

### Mark the Site of St. Mary's Stately Church.

#### The Boiler of the Edifice Explodes With Aw- ful Fury.

Anton Evans, the Fireman, is in the  
Debris, and Alberta Wil-  
lard is Dead

Just after one o'clock this afternoon the city was shocked as by a terrific earthquake. Frightened people rushed from stores, shops and houses to learn the cause, and but too soon the shrill tap of the fire-bell betokened danger. It was but a moment till the news of the destruction of St. Mary's Catholic church spread and people flocked to the scene of the disaster.

The splendid edifice presented a sorry sight of wreck and ruin. The stained glass windows were shattered and fired fifty feet from their holdings. The heavy front doors were forced out like chaff. The south wall was entirely severed from the main building and it hangs menacingly over the sister's school, which is also wrecked. The back wall is cracked into pieces and the top of it was shot out of place entirely and was pitched over the residence of Rev. Father Oechtering in the rear. The north wall leans in and the toppling of the south wall will heap the structure in disorder.

The interior presents a scene of ruin. The boiler stood in the rear of the altar directly under the main altar. The mountain like structure, with its saintly statuary, gold mountings, rich holdings and sacred treasures was shattered into bits and enveloped itself in flames before the firemen dare venture into the ruins. The vestry rooms, just back of the small side altars, held the priestly vestments and holy vessels. These, together with blessed images and rare decorations, were utterly ruined and piled in something like sublime confusion. Clinging to one small altar was an image of the Virgin Mary holding the dead Christ. St. Joseph's statue lay in a heap of ruins and the carved face of the risen Savior, seen through the debris, seemed to appeal to the elements for mercy. The pulpit and the grand organ hold their places, but are split up and spoiled. The decorated side and ceiling plaster fell in dust and the whole interior presents a scene of irreparable loss.

At the moment of the explosion, men women and children were hurrying by. Little Alberta Willard was passing in front of the church. The heavy door struck her with the force of a cannon ball and crushed the life almost instantly out of the little school girl. She was taken to her home on Madison street and died as the doctors diagnosed fractures of her cranium and fatal internal injuries. Blood rushed from her ears, nose and mouth, presenting a sad picture. She was the thirteen-year-old daughter of B. L. P. Willard and a sister of Joe C. Willard, of the postoffice.

The firemen directed water on the ruins until 2:30, and scarcely had they ceased when Chief Hilbrecht and his men forced entrance into the engine room in the cellar. There was a frightful spectacle. Anton Evans, the fireman of the church, lay in a pool of blood. His skull was crushed in and the brain substance ran out on the brick floor, no more to respond to the command of its master. His mouth was intact and his chest suffered little from the concussion, but his arms and lower limbs were fractured and blood from the gaping wounds spotted and soiled the old sexton's clothes.

Mr. Evans was the father of Joe Evans

of H. J. Ash's store, and a brother of Mrs. F. L. Furste. He built a fire to heat the church for morning mass, and to prevent the steam pipes from freezing. There are two theories for the explosion. One is he had no water in the boiler or else he let water into it when the boiler was hot. The steam apparatus was put into the church by Shaw, Kendall & Co., of Toledo, last October and was but preliminary to further improvements next summer.

Rev. Father Oechtering, pastor of the church, is absent from the city and the painful news was telegraphed to him at Milwaukee. His sister, Miss Oechtering, was in the house, near the church, and the explosion prostrated her.

Just before the explosion Rev. Father Romer, assistant priest at St. Mary's, was summoned on a sick call. He started towards the church to possess himself of the sacred host it is customary to carry to the sick. He bethought himself, however, and concluded to see the sufferer and first ascertain his condition. Scarcely had he left the church a moment when the dreadful explosion occurred. Had he entered the sacred edifice, as he first intended, he would now be numbered with the dead, as his mission would have led him to the main altar, above the boiler.

The sisters have abandoned their residence and school near the church and are kindly sheltered at St. Augustine's academy.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Dwenger, who presides over and is always deeply interested in the affairs of his diocese, is temporarily absent from home at Monroe, Mich., and his private secretary telegraphed him of the great catastrophe. The distinguished prelate is expected home to-night.

The church was built in 1858 at a cost of \$30,000, but \$30,000 in improvements have been added to it since. It is insured for \$24,000 in the agencies represented by Henry Monning and Conrad Neireiter. The congregation is wealthy and it is safe to predict the church will be very speedily rebuilt in grander design than before.

**The Gazette and Auditor Griebel.**  
The Gazette still misrepresents Auditor Griebel in regard to fees charged delinquent tax-payers. We publish the law in full:

SECTION 6,458. COPY; HOW POSTED AND PUBLISHED. The auditor shall cause a copy of such list to be posted on the door of the court house, and also in some public and conspicuous place in each township, at least three weeks before the day of sale; and shall have such list printed in one weekly newspaper of the county for three weeks before such sale. It shall only be necessary in the posted list to state in the aggregate the amount of taxes, penalty, interest and costs due thereon, including the taxes of the current year.

SECTION 6,482. AUDITOR'S FEES. The county auditor shall be entitled to receive for each tax-certificate fifty cents, and for each tax deed one dollar, &c.

The auditor acted under the advice of County Attorney Bell and Mr. Charles H. Aldrich. The city does the same under the advice of City Attorney Colebrook. It is right and proper, and it seems funny that any attorney should instruct the Gazette otherwise.

**"Come, For All Things are Now Ready."**

At the Academy of Music, with the thermometer at 18° above on the north side of the house, changing to 70° inside; with seven good heating stoves in full blast; with two organs and one piano and accomplished musicians to touch the keys; with seventy-five voices in harmony ranging from high soprano, contralto and baritone down to bass in C natural; with cushioned arm chairs and with two thorough going, open hearted gospel temperance lecturers on the rostrum, Hughs and Ward, who have been there themselves. What should hinder the Christians and sinners of Fort Wayne from being present to-night and hearing and knowing what our 300 saloons are doing for us? Please answer.

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## A FORGER CAUGHT.

John Powers Confesses He Is a  
Fort Wayne Fugitive.

"Come out," said Sergeant O'Donnell to a vag at the police station this morning, who had registered as Frank Powers and who was wanted at the city court prior to transfer to the workhouse.

"But I want to see the sheriff, and I won't come," rejoined the prisoner.

And then Sergeant O'Donnell walked into the cell to try persuasive powers, and says Frank, the vag, "My real name is John Powers and I was sent up two years from Fort Wayne for forgery, but I escaped from prison after serving nine months. Now, I want to go back."

This put a new phase upon matters, and Powers was left at the police station until his tale could be verified—says the Indianapolis News.

Powers is telling the truth, as the records here show. Under the name of John Beel he worked for Henry Stelhorn, north of town. He forged an order on him and Charley Stelhorn, the Calhoun street shoemaker, cashed it for \$10. For this offense he got two years and the case was so remarkable it is quoted in the 87th Indiana reports. The escape of Powers is not recalled, but it is known he is the second man in a short time, as Sam Harris gave the prison authorities a bail some time ago.

## A \$214 VERDICT.

Fred. Tritchler Gets that Sum  
Against Jake Baltes.

The jury in the circuit court came in this morning after deliberating all night, and when Judge O'Rourke snapped the paper open it awarded Fred Tritchler judgment for \$214 against Jake Baltes, the contractor. Mr. Baltes was excavating for a new building on West Main street. His workmen got too near Tritchler's barber shop and the west wall of the tenorial parlor fell in and out. The suit resulted from that casualty.

MR. VANDERBILT was not close with his money, but a story is told of him that shows that even he, with all his millions, was averse to throwing it away. One day at Saratoga he asked a friend, a well-known official, to get into a coupe behind his famous trotters, Aldine and Early Rose, and take a spin out to the lake. On the way they came to the Geyser spring, and Mr. Vanderbilt remarked that he never passed it without taking a drink of its water. The boy came out from the spring house with two glasses, and the millionaire emptied his without removing his heavy driving-gloves. It was evident that he could not put the gloved fingers into his waistcoat pocket for change, and, besides, the restive horses were prancing about in nervous anxiety to be off. In this juncture his companion put his hand in his pocket and took out a quarter with which to compensate the boy. "Tut, tut," said the millionaire, "put that up; ten cents is plenty."

It used to be a humor of Sarah Bernhardt, when she felt particularly hateful and sour of soul, to get in a coffin and pretend to take a nap. But Bernhardt's playfulness seemed trifling, indeed, in view of the dreadful misadventure of Mme. Natalie, who also trod the French stage. While Mme. Natalie was playing in pantomime at the Folies-Dramatiques, she swooned and passed into the state of rigidity that marks one who is dead. So they put the poor girl into a coffin. But, lo! at the first rap of the hammer on the lid Mme. Natalie awoke and stood up to the amazement and terror of all at the grave. Mme. Natalie had been in a trance. That was in 1836. She reappeared upon the stage in 1838, and acted for thirty years, retiring then on a pension of 6,475 francs. A few days ago this noted woman was again placed in a coffin, nor did she start when the lid, with melodramatic solemnity, was tapped three times.

The vicissitudes of life are illustrated by a story in the Chicago Tribune. The other day a poorly-dressed man approached a couple of business men in front of the Board of Trade building, drew one of them aside, and begged a loan of 10 cents. Not many years ago the borrower was one of the heavy operators on 'Change. He was said to literally control the oats crop, and was counted one of the shrewdest of speculators. He owned a fine mansion and fast horses. All at once he lost his grip. He had domestic troubles; he fell and broke his leg; his speculations proved unprofitable, and he went to the wall. He did not come up again.

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## CONGRESS.

The Proceedings of Un-  
usual Interest.

Governor Curtin Resigns the Chair-  
manship of the Banking and Cur-  
rency Committee.

Hon. John Sherman is Re-elected to  
to the United States Senate  
from Ohio.

WASHINGTON.

Active Work in Both Houses To-  
day.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Mr. Hawley is in the senate chair and Mr. Ingalls offered a resolution that in the opinion of the senate compulsory coinage of silver dollars should not be suspended until the aggregate reaches \$500,000,000. Laid over.

Mr. Bowen offered a resolution directing the committee on Indian affairs to inquire into the expediency of removing all Indians into the Indian territory west of Arkansas. Laid over.

The bill to admit Dakota was laid over at Mr. Harrison's request.

The senate concurred in the house amendments to the bill legalizing the territorial legislature of Wyoming.

Mr. Cooke called up Mr. Beck's silver resolution and addressed the senate.

HOUSE.

Mr. Curtin was excused from duty as chairman of the committee on banking and currency.

The senate bill to legalize the election of the territorial legislative assembly of Wyoming was passed. Adjourned.

NOTES.

It is stated that Col. Hughes East will be appointed secretary of Idaho Territory.

Senator Sherman will leave here for Columbus by the Baltimore and Ohio road at 10 o'clock this evening, and expects to arrive at Columbus at 1:45 p. m. to-morrow.

The president will give a state dinner at the white house to-morrow night to members of his cabinet, the lieutenant general of the army, admiral of the navy and a few other invited guests.

Senator Harrison has introduced the petition of G. A. Campbell Post G. A. R., of Kosciusko county, asking for the enactment of a law granting a service pension to all union soldiers and sailors of the late war.

The senate has confirmed the appointments of Hon. Alfred P. Edgerton, of Fort Wayne, Ind.; Hon. W. L. Trenholm, of Charleston, S. C., and Hon. Dorman B. Eaton, of New York, to be civil service commissioners.

The postmaster-general yesterday appointed the following fourth-class postmasters for Indiana: Wm. A. Shorer, at Goshen, Vigo county, vice O. B. Owens; Wm. Hardin, at Rockland, Johnson county, vice R. M. Bantz; Alfred Kelly, at Waterloo, DeKalb county, office ceased to be a presidential one.

The senate passed Senator Harrison's bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue a duplicate certificate of deposit for \$10,000 to the People's National Bank of Lawrenceburg, the original of which, issued by the assistant treasurer of the United States at Cincinnati, had been destroyed by the overflow of the Ohio river in February, 1884.

The senate has postponed the time for the memorial services in honor of the late Vice President Hendricks from the 20th to the 26th inst. This will give a number of the senators time to prepare their addresses, among whom are Mr. Evarts, of New York. Memorial day in the house will be fixed for about the 30th inst.

## JOHN SHERMAN

Is Again Chosen to the United  
States Senate.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 13.—The senate and house met in joint convention at noon to-day and elected John Sherman to the United States Senate. It required 74 votes to elect. Mr. Sherman received 84 votes and Allen G. Thurman 62.

Bradlaugh Poses as a Hero in  
Parliament.

By Cable to THE SENTINEL.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Bradlaugh stalked the floor of the house of commons in a

defiant manner, kissed the bible, shook hands with the speaker, and drove away directly after being sworn in.

Rome, Jan. 13.—Russia has asked the Vatican to reopen negotiations for a closer relationship between that country and the Vatican.

## A COUNTY'S DELINQUENCY.

Huntington County Fails to  
Make a Settlement With  
the State.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13.—The treasurer of Huntington county has failed to make the semi-annual settlement with the state required on the 1st of January, and inquiry in regard to the matter discloses the fact that the money due from the county is not in the hands of the treasurer. In explanation, the state auditor says that the Huntington county treasurer reported to him that the money had been paid out by mistake, and that he had expected to raise funds by negotiating bonds which had been issued upon the authority of the county commissioners, but it was found at the last moment that they had not been advertised for sale in accordance with the law, and time would be required to comply with this provision of the statute. It is stated, further, that the funds in the county treasury were exhausted by the payment to the Chicago and Atlantic railroad company of \$9,000 appropriated by a township in aid of the enterprise, when the money had really not been collected. This was irregular, the auditor states, because the treasurer had no authority for using the money belonging to any fund for any but its specific purposes. The county commissioners have no authority to divert the money in any fund; and in the payment of a railroad appropriation, as in this instance, they should first have made an investigation to see that all the conditions had been fully complied with. If the money appropriated had not been received by the treasurer, he should not have used other funds to pay the claim. The use of the funds belonging to the state and the failure to make that settlement at the time fixed are violations of the law. The counties of Marion, Warren and Perry haven't settled yet.

Bonded indebtedness of Marion county is \$900,000; short time loan, \$50,000.

The indications for the lower lake region, as reported by the weather bureau at Washington to THE SENTINEL, are as follows: Warmer, cloudy weather with local snows, followed by fair weather; southerly winds, falling barometer.

A RECENT traveler in Spain tells how the children in Grenada played at bull fighting. One boy, holding a pair of wooden horns on his head, represented the bull. Other boys, mounted on each other's backs, were picadors, while others again, with their jackets in their hands were supposed to be matadors and chulos. The bull would stamp his feet and roar, then make a rush at one of the chulos, whose jacket was thrown up by the wooden horns, but whose body was never touched. Then the bull would charge one of the picadors, whereupon the boy playing horse would throw himself to the ground and allow himself to be properly gored.

GOV. ABBETT, of New Jersey, has in hand a great fight—the fight against death. "I will live to serve out my term as Governor," he said a few days ago. "I have will-power enough to do that." There is an abscess back of his ear. "It broke on the outside, thus saving my life," said he to an interviewer; "if it had broken on the inside it would have killed me. A rubber tube is inserted in the orifice and then a suction-pump is applied for five minutes every day, causing me to grit my teeth with pain, though I never holler out." He has given up all night work and most of his day work.

He fell with a thud in the skating rink And the accident caused a wild turmoil, But he pulled out a bottle and quick as a wink, His bruises were healed by St. Jacobs Oil.

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DOWN SOUTH.

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age Ever Known.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—This has been the longest and severest cold spell ever felt in Florida. The loss in oranges on trees, according to Captain Ives, manager of the Florida fruit exchange is \$1,000,000. The loss to vegetables is immense, some men having sixty and 100 acres killed. Skating was indulged in upon the ponds, a scene never before witnessed in Florida. All growers say the trees are in splendid condition to withstand the freeze, owing to the severe weather previous. Thawing will probably leave things in a more hopeful condition.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 13.—The storm which swept over Texas since last Thursday is without parallel in this part of Texas in its extent, severity and duration. Intelligence from the cattle ranches state that affairs are of the gloomiest character. The loss in cattle will be great and carcasses, it is stated, can be seen far and near, strewn the barren prairies. A heavy snow storm set in late Monday night and Texas, from the Sabine to the Rio Grande and from the Red river to the gulf, is covered to a depth varying from two inches to one foot of snow. The indications this morning point to another snow fall equally as heavy.

## A BIG HAUL.

A Stage Coach Held Up and  
Robbed.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 13.—A dispatch was received last evening by General Howard, commander of the department of the Platt, from Fort Robinson, stating that a daring robbery had been committed about eighteen miles from the fort. The stage coach running between Chadron and Fort Robinson was stopped by a party of masked men, and \$5,000 in gold, intended for payment of the troops at Fort Robinson was taken.

## KNIGHTS OF LABOR

Indicted for Insulting a Judge.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 13.—The grand jury has indicted the presidents of Trade's union, of the Typographical union and of the Pressman's union, for criminal libel in having carried in the trade parade of November, a banner bearing the device, "Fined \$900 for being union men." The grand jury pronounces it a libel on the court.

## Steamers Ice Bound.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamers Old Dominion, bound for New York, and Ashland, for Philadelphia, left their wharves here last evening for their destinations, but owing to the ice in the river, failed to pass downward at and midnight were ice bound about a mile below the city.

## Murdered by a Convict.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 13.—Sheriff Diggman, of Colfax county, was killed yesterday in the jail at Schuyler by a prisoner named Lapeur, who struck him over the head with a heavy club, fracturing his skull. Lapeur then attempted to escape but was captured.

## Fire Record.

By Telegraph to THE SENTINEL.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 13.—The four story brick establishment of Sevey & Co., manufacturers of stamped tin and iron ware, Cambridgeport, burned last night. The loss will reach \$30,000; insurance, \$55,000.

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## The Daily Sentinel.

### OFFICIAL PAPER COUNTY AND CITY.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1886.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY, the Hoosier poet, is a man of 37 years, of slight build, not tall, with long, thin hands, a pale complexion, large and brilliant gray eyes, a prominent nose, thin lips and blonde hair. He is a fluent and interesting talker, and likes queer people; was taught sign painting as a trade, but didn't encourage his parents by special proficiency therein.

A WEEK or two ago there came to Dublin a young man who could speak no other language than the Irish, and who had to be accompanied by an interpreter about the streets of the capital of his native country. The youth was born on the island of Boffin, off the Connemara coast, where, out of 600 or 700 inhabitants, only nine speak English. On this island they possess a rich treasure of traditions, folklore and old poems.

CONGRESSMAN MILLER, of New York, lies dangerously ill, the result of a rather queer accident. While at table he left his chair for a moment to answer a caller in the hall, and while absent a servant removed the chair. Returning he resumed his place without looking behind him and fell, striking his head against a marble mantel. Being a man of 255 pounds avoirdupois, the blow tore the scalp almost wholly from his head.

THE Galveston News relates an amusing incident in connection with the disastrous fire there. A little 8-year-old, who had been one of the sufferers by the fire, hearing that he might get relief by applying to the committee, determined to prepare his claim. After careful consideration it was written out and presented the following unique series of items: "A bicycle, \$3; two guinea pigs, \$2; one piety dog, \$1; half pound shot, 5c; A rifle, \$5; cat's kets in bank, 6c."

COL. MAPLESON was a witness the other day in a suit which he had instituted to recover the duty paid on some armor and costumes he had brought to this country for use on the operatic stage. "What is your business?" he was asked. "I am an impresario," replied the Colonel, with lofty dignity. "Well, now, tell us, Mr. Mapleson," said the lawyer, "what is an impresario?" "An impresario," said Mapleson, unbending somewhat, and revealing the suggestion of a smile, "is a man who tries to please the public and never succeeds."

A CORRESPONDENT of the New York Journal of Commerce calls attention to the effect of the laws of some Northern States prohibiting the killing of bobolinks. This bird breeds in the Northern States, and in the fall migrate southward. Known as the reed bird in Pennsylvania and the rice bird at the South, the bobolink is a great and highly-prized article of food, is hunted by sportsmen, killed in thousands, plenty in the markets. Thus he is protected at the North for the benefit of the Middle and Southern States. The same is true of woodcock.

THE natural gas at Pittsburg is odorless. It is not deemed safe to introduce it into dwellings by means of pipes and fixtures, as a leak cannot be discovered, and the danger from explosion would be very great. It is utilized for cooking and heating by carrying the pipes through the chimney flues and using it in the fireplaces, and in case of a leak the gas would escape through the chimney. As it is so abundant and the price so low a leak of gas in the flues is not often searched for, but allowed to run to waste. Meters are not in general use, but where used the price is ten cents per thousand feet. Generally housekeepers bargain with the companies at a fixed price for all they want; \$75 per year is the maximum price for all the gas that may be wanted to warm the house and for ordinary purposes, and no coal is used in the house; small houses are furnished at much less prices; a poor family may obtain all the fuel necessary for about \$10 or \$15. In the city of Pittsburg the use of natural gas has displaced the use of 10,000 tons of coal per day, or 3,600,000 tons per annum, and the city, instead of being enveloped in smoke, is as bright and sunshiny as any city in the country. There are now 500 miles of pipe laid in and around Pittsburg to conduct this gas to the dwellings and manufactories. We have only to imagine, if we can, a great city with its wealth centered in its manufacturing establishments, many of them gigantic in their proportions, and all, or nearly all, of these immense establishments employing natural gas for fuel where formerly coal alone was used, and we may form some idea of the magnitude of the revolution in heating methods. There is a single company, only a few months old, engaged in distributing this gas whose capital is \$5,000,000, and whose aggregate sales are \$2,000,000 even at the low price of ten cents per 1,000 feet; this would be 20,000,000,000 feet, or twenty times the output of the Boston Gas Company, and this is the business of one company only. It has thus far proved a good fuel, but a poor illuminator.

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THE FIRST KEEN THING. As the season advances, the pains and aches by which rheumatism makes itself known, are experienced after every exposure. It is not claimed that Hood's Sarsaparilla is a specific for rheumatism—we doubt if there is, or can be, such a remedy. But the thousands benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla, warrant us in urging others who suffer from rheumatism to take it before the first keen twinge.

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THE insignia of Knights of the Garter are very elaborate, and with robes and other trappings cost about \$4,500. In the case of royal parties the English Government pays the bills, with the understanding that the insignia are to be returned upon the demise of the knight. The Government, however, rarely sees the baubles again, which the noble and royal relatives usually keep for their own use. The garter of the late Czar, for instance, is in the hands of or on the leg of a member of his family, who already had one of his own. He wanted a pair, like other people.

TIME out of mind, a big white stone at Woodstock, in Talbot, down on the eastern shore of Maryland, has been used as a carriage-block in front of a moss-covered dwelling. The other day along came a geologist, played a tune of joy upon the stone with his mallet, and astonished the townspeople by telling them that Agassiz would have gone into ecstasies over the prize. For, indeed, as the geologist said, the stone is a piece of white rock, picked up by an iceberg, in the Patuxent or River, and carried clear across the Chesapeake to the flat lands of Tidewater Talbot.

ARTEMUS MARTIN is the new librarian of the coast and geodetic surveys. He is one of the profoundest of living mathematicians, and was a truck gardener by occupation before his appointment. He has recently been made an honorary member of a British Royal Society, and Master of Arts by the University of Michigan. He is a man of perhaps 45, was tall and ungainly, dressed then as became his gardening, and looks as little like a fellow of a Royal British Society as like British royalty itself.

My wife who has been subject to sharp rheumatic pains in her shoulder, has never had any return of the trouble since she used Athlophoros. One bottle cured me entirely of neuralgia. John R. Rea, pattern maker, 127 Jones street, Dayton, Ohio.

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THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Masonic Temple association, will be held at the Masonic Hall, corner of Clifton and Berry streets, on Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1886, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing seven (7) trustees to serve for the ensuing year.

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I was almost perfectly bald, caused by Tetter of the scalp. I used your cuticura remedies about six weeks, and they cured my scalp, and now my hair is coming back as thick as it ever was.

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I want to tell you that your Cuticura Remedy is marvellous. About three months ago my face was covered with blotches, and after using three bottles of Resolvent I was perfectly cured. FREDERICK CHAMBERLAIN, 23 St. Charles St., New Orleans, La.

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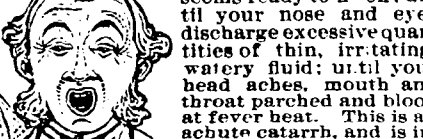
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NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.  
THE TREASURER'S OFFICE, CITY OF FORT WAYNE, IND., CITY HALL, FORT WAYNE, JANUARY 1, 1886.  
Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the City of Fort Wayne that I have received the Tax Duplicate of 1885, and I will attend at the Treasurer's office, as the law directs, for the purpose of receiving taxes now due.

The Rates of Taxation in the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, for 1885, are as follows, viz: For general purposes, 25 cents. For interest on bonded debts, 25 cents. For fire and water works bonds, 11 cents. For sinking funds, 5 cents. For city hall funds, 10 cents. Total per \$100 valuation, \$1.00.  
Every male resident who is over 21 and not over 65 years of age, and is not a pauper, must pay a poll tax of \$2.00. There is a 50-cent charge to the person owning a dog, and the same \$2.00 for each dog and \$3.00 for each bitch.  
Section 642b. "Any person or taxpayer who neglects to pay the tax due on his hands of any city treasurer, may pay the full amount of such taxes on or before the third Monday of April, or at his option pay the first installment on or before said third Monday, and the remaining installment on or before the first Monday in November following; provided that in all cases where the first installment shall not be paid on or before the third Monday in April, the whole amount unpaid shall become due, and be returned delinquent, and be collected as provided by law, and there shall be a penalty added of 10 per cent. of the amount of any installment not paid when due, which the person or property assessed shall be liable to pay, and in default of such taxes that become delinquent at the preceding April and November settlements, and a charge of 10 per cent. only shall be added to the current delinquency occurring on the first Monday in November.  
Examine your receipt before leaving the office, and see that all your property is described.  
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## THE CENTURY

### for 1885-86.

The remarkable interest in the war papers and in the many timely articles and strong serial features published recently in THE CENTURY has given that magazine a regular circulation of more than 200,000 Copies Monthly.

Among the features for the coming volume, which begins with the November number, are:

THE WAR PAPERS BY GENERAL GRANT AND OTHERS.

These will be continued (most of them illustrated) until the chief events of the civil war have been described by leading participants on both sides. General Grant's papers include descriptions of the battles of Chattanooga and the Wilderness. General McClellan will write of Antietam, General D. C. Buell of Shiloh, General R. E. Lee of Gettysburg and others of the Second Bull Run, etc., etc. Naval combats, including the fight between the *Kearsarge* and the *Alabama*, by officers of both ships, will be described.

The "Recollections of a Private" and special war papers of an anecdotal or humorous character will be features of the year.

SERIAL STORIES BY W. D. HOWE, MARY HALLOCK FOOTE, AND GEO. W. CARLE.

Mr. Howells's serial will be in lighter vein than "The Rise of Silas Lapham." Mrs. Foote's is a story of mining life and Mr. Carle's a novelette of the Academics of Louisiana. Mr. Carle will also contribute a series of papers on slave songs and dances, including negro serpent-worship, etc.

SPECIAL FEATURES Include "A Tricycle Pilgrimage to Rome," illustrated by Pennell; historical papers by E. Ward Eggleston and others; papers on Persia, by S. G. W. Benjamin, lately U. S. minister, with numerous illustrations; Astronomical articles, practical and popular, on "Sidereal Astronomy"; Papers on Christian Unity by representatives of various religious denominations; Papers on Manual Education, by various experts, etc., etc.

SHORT STORIES By Frank H. Stockton, Mrs. Helen Jackson (H. E.), Mary Hallack Foote, Joel Chandler Harris, H. H. Boyesen, T. A. Janvier, John Hawthorne, Richard M. Johnston, and others, and poems by leading poets. The departments, "Open Letters," "Brick-a-Brack," etc., will be fully sustained.

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# The Daily Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1886.

## THE CITY.

John Evans went to New York last night.

Mr. P. J. Fallon, who has been quite ill, is almost well again.

Mrs. Joseph Wood and family have returned from Harrisburg, Pa.

The Fort Wayne Relief union will meet on Friday, Jan. 15, at 2 p. m.

Esquire Charley Hays paid \$17 as fines into the county treasury yesterday.

Mr. A. C. Trentman now sets behind a costly office desk, the gift of his employer.

Doc Zellers and Fred Bucholtz, of Huntington, attended a wedding here last night.

There were no offenders at police court this morning and police news is mighty scarce.

Wm. F. King and Laura Nye, Wm. Leezier and Rose Ann Davis have been licensed to wed.

Rev. H. G. Mendenhall will conduct the services in the Third Presbyterian church this evening.

The county commissioners were today signing bonds and coupons. They seal the bonds Friday.

John Baker, an incorrigible lad from Monroeville, was committed to the reform school yesterday.

Fifteen coups of poultry have entered already for the poultry show to be held here February 10th to 17th.

The chimney issuing from the Grafmiller boarding house blew high last night and created some alarm.

Mr. Mason Long, the evangelist, is writing a life of Christ. He has been at work on the volume for two years.

The last will of Daniel Buskirk was filed for probate yesterday. The paper bequeaths all his property to Mrs. Buskirk.

Mrs. Victoria Fanning, of New London, Ohio, is in the city visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Tiffles, of 177 Griffith street.

Mrs. Frank Wolfe and E. W. Cook, of the Wabash freight office, returned this morning from a flying visit to Chicago.

The employees of the Grand Rapids and Richmond roads were paid today. The Pittsburg pay car will come here next Saturday.

Engineer James Southern pays his respects to over-officious physicians who have been writing about the prevalence of sickness in the family of his son.

Mr. Cass Hunter, deputy county treasurer, was yesterday given a handsome silver water pitcher by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter, of Huntertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffman gave a very pleasant party to about 200 invited guests at their new residence, No. 49 West Main. Music and dancing were features of the evening entertainment.

"The editor spent the afternoon of New Year's day at Fort Wayne, making the rounds of 'old acquaintance' under the escort of that prince of good fellows, Hon. Montgomery Hamilton," says the *Coruna Headlight*.

Levi Kessler the murderer of Lex Harner, confined in the Auburn jail, is very reticent and refuses to converse. It is said that he is working the insanity dodge for all there is in it, and that his attorneys will try to save his neck on that plea.

"Quite a large number of the members of the G. A. R. post of this place, went to Fort Wayne to-day to pay a visit to Mr. Foster, commander of the department of Indiana," says the *Warsaw Times*. Colonel Foster was at Lafayette yesterday and did not meet the veterans.

Passenger train No. 42 of the Wabash, struck a broken rail at Peru yesterday morning, and three coaches and a sleeper went off the track, badly shaking up the passengers, but fortunately injuring no one. Eight or ten rails were broken in the rounds and the roadway blocked.

This is the record of the first bicycle owned in Indiana. It is a Columbia, and was first the property of C. W. Edgerton, of Fort Wayne. It has been sold ten times, and over twenty-five men learned to ride on it. The following prices have been paid for it: \$92.50, \$80, \$50, \$50, \$40, \$50, \$25, \$15, \$30; total, \$482.50. One man has owned it and sold it three times. It is now a wreck.

The cooks and waiters of the city gave their first annual ball at Arion hall last night. The pump housemaids were whirled in the entrancing waltz, gay youths smiled on the fairest girls, and thus ran the merriment until daybreak almost peeped in on the throng and served as a reminder that "the governor must have his pancakes and coffee." A description of the costumes is necessary crowded out, but the public can stand it, as the boys and girls will give a masquerade ball on February 22.

George P. Evans is at Indianapolis, the guest of the Grand hotel.

Rev. Webb will officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Charles Brinsley to-morrow.

The ice men are storing the congealed hereabouts and find it pretty thick and clear.

Henry J. Meyer, of the firm of Meyer Bros., the druggists, has returned to St. Louis.

Charles C. Meyer yesterday filed his bond as a notary public and was commissioned.

Supt. George Stevens, of the Wabash, passed through here east this morning in his private car.

The Misses Lizzie and Minnie Geller, left last evening for Chicago to visit relatives and friends.

Klinkenberg & Detzer open their drug store on the corner of Calhoun and Berry streets, January 14.

E. F. Yarnelle was elected treasurer and W. D. Page secretary of the city hospital yesterday evening.

Mr. Ben H. Moyses, formerly with A. S. Lanferty, is in the city. Mr. Moyses is in business at Leland, Miss.

Mr. E. L. Craw and J. R. Ross have established an insurance, real estate and loan office in the Seidel block, this city.

Barney Hazard has been granted a permit to build an addition to his barn, on lot 10, north side addition, to cost \$65.

A number of friends were pleasantly entertained by Miss Emma Searles, at her home, No. 19 Baker street, Monday evening.

Rev. Fred. Kammerer and family, of Arapahoe, Neb., are in the city, the guests of C. K. Katt, the father of Mrs. Kammerer.

Yesterday was Miss Emma Koegel's birthday anniversary and last evening a party given in honor of the occasion at her home on Broadway.

Dr. VanBuskirk and wife and only child will leave to-night for Orrville, Ohio, to spend a week the guests of Mrs. VanBuskirk's family.

John Forbing yesterday sold the property of Gust Malnowski to C. B. Jacobs. Glutting, Bauer & Michael did not buy nor sell the property.

Thos. Adelsperger, South Bend, Carl B. Swaine and T. F. Holland, Indianapolis, and D. H. Clifford, Waterloo, are registered at the Aveline house.

Judge Hensch has been unable as yet to get a jurist to hear the Little River ditch case. Judge Kibbey, of Richmond, declined and Judge Hensch may have to preside at the trial himself.

The Scotchmen of Fort Wayne are shortly to have a curling game on ice. The contestants are: Rink 1—Tom Kavanaugh, skip, John Gilke, John Kidd, Fred McLeish, Rink 2—D. McKay, skip, Frank McLeish, Walter A. Langtry, Bird Wiley.

Lot Dixon, the courteous Pittsburg conductor, was at the scene of the ruins of St. Mary's church with his handsome cutter and dashing steed, and kindly conveyed the superiors of the sisters from her shattered home to her convent people as St. Peters church.

Emil Zollinger, of New York, who separated from his brother Charles at the time of immigration in 1852, has written to Pension Agent Zollinger, hopeful that he was the one. Colonel Zollinger, however, is not related, he coming with his father's family to this country in 1849.

James O. Jenney, assignor to the Fort Wayne Electric Light company, Fort Wayne, are lamp regulator; Elias Lathrop, assignor to Fleming Manufacturing company, Fort Wayne, road scraper. Patents were granted on these inventions at Washington yesterday.

W. J. Hawksworth, Jimmie Doyle and Billy Streicher were before the foot lights at the Metropolitan theatre last night. Hawksworth and Streicher indulged in a wrestling match in which Streicher was floored badly. Hawksworth, who is an all-around athlete, boxed with Jimmy Doyle and won the contest. The next contest is Friday night.

It is stated that D. W. Caldwell, receiver of the Nickel Plate road, and general manager, as well, came out flat footed against consolidating the Traders' Dispatch with the other Erie lines, he claimed that the Traders' Dispatch was a Nickel Plate fast freight line. The Lehigh Valley people, as well, objected to the arrangement, and President Knight was finally converted into the belief that it would be better for the Erie people to allow the old running arrangement to continue.

We are informed that Mr. Walker, of Indianapolis, has returned home and given up all idea of purchasing the *Gazette*. We are very sorry as Mr. Walker is a talented and very pleasant gentleman. He stands high in the profession at Indianapolis. It is thought now that Mr. Keil will continue to edit and own the paper. The *Gazette* is good property and will always take the lead as a morning paper in Fort Wayne on account of its owning the morning telegraph franchise of the Associated Press, the same as *The Sentinel* owns for an afternoon paper.

## ITS ANNUAL.

Albert S. Bond Succeeds R. F. Keath as Superintendent of the Organ Factory.

The Fort Wayne Organ company met last night and elected the following officers and directors: President, S. B. Bond, secretary, Chas. E. Bond; treasurer and superintendent, Albert S. Bond. Directors, O. A. Simons, J. H. Bass, S. B. Bond, C. E. Bond, A. S. Bond and James M. Barrett. The company has displaced Mr. R. F. Keath as superintendent.

Mr. Keith came here some fourteen years ago when the factory was opened. He has pushed the institution to unexampled prosperity. He sold his interest in the works to-day and in a short time expects to leave the city although he hates to part with his friends here. He is local commander of the Knights Templar and personally a clever gentleman whom it will be a loss to lose. Mr. Albert S. Bond, who succeeds Mr. Keith as superintendent of the organ factory, is the eldest son of Mr. S. B. Bond. He has worked his way up through the factory from the humblest place and is thoroughly trained in every branch of the business. He is a very pleasant young gentleman of good business capacity and unclouded integrity.

The Fort Wayne organ factory is one of the strongest in the country. There is a big surplus in its treasury and its instruments are sold in every state and territory in America. Their fame is too across the water and *THE SENTINEL* expects to record it as world wide many years elapse.

MR. EATON TO RESIGN.

One of His Colleagues on the Commission Says: He will Retire February 1.

"The stories that have been printed about my contemplated resignation," said Civil Service Commissioner Edgerton to a *National Republican* reporter last night, "are very amusing. They have confounded me with Mr. Eaton, who will resign on February 1. It is he, and not I, who will resign. Here's one paper which has a half column editorial of grave regret on the subject, and others have devoted much space to it."

The resignation of Mr. Eaton will leave a vacancy on the commission which will be filled by the appointment of a republican from New York or Massachusetts, as the northern and eastern settlers are not represented, Mr. Trenholm coming from the south and Mr. Edgerton from the west. It is said that the president has already decided upon the successor to Mr. Eaton.

EDUCATORS MEET.

Supt. J. S. Irwin and Others Prepare Examination Papers.

The state board of education was in quarterly session at the Bates house, Indianapolis, with the following members present: State Superintendent Holcombe, Indianapolis Superintendent Jones, Presidents Parsons, of the state normal, Smart, of Purdue, and Jordan, of the Bloomington university, Superintendents Cooper, of Evansville, and Dr. J. S. Irwin, of Fort Wayne. The purpose of the meeting was to prepare questions for examinations for state and professional licenses. Applicants for the former must have taught school for at least forty months, of which sixteen must have been in the state, and he must attain a general average of 75 per cent., and not fall below 60 per cent. in any branch. The board concluded its work last evening.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Joe Murphy, the Irish comedian, will present "Kerry Gow" at the Temple opera house to-night. Mr. Murphy has often been seen here in "Kerry Gow," but never has failed to please. His sons, his wit and his handsome face make him a favorite and always welcome.

The Temple management offer a splendid attraction Saturday night, in a "Midnight Marriage." It is a French romance of the sixteenth century. The leading characters in the piece will be taken by Mr. Edmund and Mrs. Berry, both of whom have for years been the leading people at the Boston theatre. One of the charming features of the play will be the rich costuming.

Real Estate Transfers.

Olds Bros., real estate agents, room No. 8, Foster block, report the following recorded real estate transfers:

David A. May to Louisa J. Martin, by warranty deed, part of lot 40, old plat, of Monroeville, for \$800.

Chas. H. Aldrich to Chas. S. Bash, by warranty deed, lot 10, Charles Hanna's addition, for \$250.

"When will the average citizen stop spending half of his hard earnings on cigars and tobacco? Give it up? Well, when he finds out that he can do without tobacco and cigars, but can't keep up without the infallible remedy, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. One bottle twenty-five cents."

# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

Of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

REGULAR SESSION, JAN. 12, 1886.

The common council of the city of Fort Wayne met in the council chamber Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, A. D. 1886, in regular session His Honor Mayor Muhler in the chair, and present the following members, viz: Councilmen Doehman, Elz Gocke, Kensill, Kramer, Lincoln, Michael, Mohr, Prentiss, Racine, Read, Scheit, Storm, Schwartz, Tresselt, Wesell and Wolfe—17.

Present—Councilman Kelker—1.

The minutes of the last regular session having been delivered to the councilmen were on motion approved as published.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills were, on motion, allowed: Street Commissioner's pay roll, \$249 57; Henry C. Berghoff (money advanced), 3 00; H. Wald, 2 00; Keil Bros., 1 00; Wilson Bros., 50 00; Sink & Munsie, 17 50; Hatterley & Son, 65 40; Wilson McQuiston, 29 40; E. A. K. Hackett, 16 77; S. C. Lumbard, 75 00; 60 00; Root & Co., 4 87; H. C. Berghoff, 49 58; 4 00; D. Meyers, 1 00; Hatterley & Son, 31 70; 31 70; Statz Zeitling, 15 00; Peters Box and Lumber Co., 75 00; Staub Brothers, 50 00; F. B. Pickard, 9 95.

The bill of the Central Union Telephone company for \$78.00 was referred to the committee on public grounds and buildings.

H. Westrum prayed the council to reconsider the report of the committee on streets refusing him an extension of time to complete his work on Thomas and Washington streets. Not granted.

A. H. Carrier asked relief from the sewer assessment against lot 23 and east half of lot 22, Faber's addition, as said property cannot be drained into the sewer for which it is taxed. Referred to the committee on sewers.

Danish Lohmeyer submitted a plat of lots 32, 34 and 36, Little's out-lots, which he has subdivided and seeks the approval of the council. Referred to the committee on streets and alleys and city engineer.

William E. Miner asked the council to remit \$1.64 taxes collected on lot 12, section 13, township 30, range 12 east, as said property was not legally annexed and not justly subject to taxation. Referred to the committee on finance, city treasurer and city attorney.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

1. We have examined the reports of the treasurer, clerk and we recommend for November and found them to agree with the books in the respective offices.

2. We have checked and destroyed orders, bonds and coupons amounting to \$14,484.22 and have received for the same to the clerk, \$14,484.22.

3. As the new tax duplicate is now open, taxpayers and collectors will on that account soon be moving into the treasury. We think the proper time to permit a statement of the cash means which are now at the disposal of the council for general purposes, and to submit our estimate of the amount that will remain on hand on the first day of April, about which date the taxes for 1886 will become due. The balance to account of general fund on Dec. 31, 1885, amounted to \$31,252.53. Allowing \$50,000 per month for current expenditures the three ensuing months will reduce that amount to \$27,000, which sum may be safely relied upon as a real surplus on the first day of April.

4. The sinking fund contains at this time \$200 more than is needed to pay \$4,000 of bonds maturing this year, leaving the entire collection to be made this year on account of the sinking fund to apply on the bonds maturing 1887. We congratulate the common council upon this favorable exhibit in view of the unpropitious outlook that have been made for special purposes. Like the new engine house and the settlement of disputed taxes, and we desire to express our regard for the ability as well as the integrity of the clerk and city treasurer, whom have rendered us valuable assistance and accorded us unvarying courtesy.

JOHN MOHR, JR., Com.  
GEO. W. ELY, Com.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY.

We your committee to whom was referred the ordinance introduced by Councilman Kensill relating to the trial of fish, fowls and mammals, and the inspection of the same, would respectfully ask for such action as the council may deem it of such importance as to demand further consideration.

GEO. W. ELY, Com.  
JOHN MOHR, JR., Com.

Further time granted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENT AND TAXES.

Your committee, to whom was referred the petition of the Baker heirs, would recommend that the same be referred to the old arbitration committee, and that the treasurer and city attorney be authorized.

(CHRISTIAN TRESSALT, Com.)  
J. R. PRENTISS, Com.

Referred to the committee on finance, treasurer and city attorney.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FIRE.

1. We have, according to the instruction of the council, hired two additional minute men, and one additional driver; we have bought one clock for the sum of \$5, and also had a telephone placed in the Seventh ward engine house for \$50 per year.

2. We also recommend to this council that the committee on fire be instructed to advertise for bids for sawing timber, to be delivered to the city at both engine houses for the term of one year.

3. We also report to the council that while we have moved part of our fire department to the Seventh ward engine house, we are in need of one additional horse and one one-horse wagon, for at the present time it is impossible for the chief to take a horse to the blacksmith shop without crippling the department, and which might be dangerous to the city if a horse would break out, and in case of a horse getting sick it would be the same thing and therefore in our opinion it is not safe for the city to run any risk of that kind. We therefore recommend that one additional horse and one one-horse wagon be bought for said department.

W. DOERHMANN, Com.  
FERRIS J. SCHMIED, Com.  
H. A. READ, Com.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GAS AND STREET LIGHTS.

Your committee on gas and street lights beg leave to report the attached statement of Mr. H. C. Graff, president of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, in reference to the erection of two towers ordered by the council and not yet erected. Also in reference to the change in hanging street lights.

H. C. GRAFF, President.  
H. A. READ, Com.

Referred back to committee to ascertain whether the towers can remain on college grounds during present lease with Electric Light company or not.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 11, 1886.

To Messrs. Henry Reed, J. R. Prentiss and Anthony Kelker, electric light committee:

Gentlemen—In reply to your communication regarding the erection of two new towers, would say that we recognize the fact that our contract compels us to build these towers and we will do so. But one of the objections given us is on private property, and we understand the owners of the property, or the parties controlling it, in giving their consent to have the tower erected on their property, reserve the right to order the removal of the tower at will. Before erecting this tower, we would want it distinctly understood that in case the tower should be ordered removed it shall be done at the expense of the city.

As to time necessary to erect the towers, would say it can be done within ten or twelve days after we get foundations for the towers necessary to put in foundations, of course, will depend upon the kind of weather we have; but we can assure you it will be done as expeditiously as possible, and we desire to act in harmony with you and do everything we can to that end.

In regard to the low lights, we would say we have now completed all but twenty-three, and out of the twenty-three we have six poles already erected, ready for the wires, and the weather will permit, we can have them all completed within ten or fifteen days.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory, we remain, gentlemen, your respectful servants.

HENRY C. GRAFF, President.  
Jenney Electric Light and Power Co.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.

1. The Gas Light company's bill applied to the Seventh ward engine house is in contract; we have recommended the same be paid.

2. Regarding the city pound, we and the

same in a fair condition, but do not think the poundmaster is doing what is required of him.

JOHN WESSELL, JR., Com.  
GEORGE W. ELY, Com.  
CHRISTIAN TRESSALT, Com.

First section referred back to committee on public grounds and buildings to ascertain what ordered gas in building. Second section received and filed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

Your committee to whom was referred the bill presented by Sentinel company, for printing, we examined and found same correct, we therefore recommend payment of same.

J. STORM, Com.  
F. SCHWARTZ, Com.  
P. J. SCHEIDT, Com.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN MATTER OF WIDENING BRACKENRIDGE STREET.

We, your special committee to whom was referred the report of the city commissioners in reference to the widening of Brackenridge street and the remonstrance of property holders thereto, respectfully report that we have made a careful examination of the subject and believe the report of said commissioners to be fair, just and equitable and therefore recommend that their report on said subject be accepted and the remonstrance thereto filed. We further advise that there are twenty signers to the petition who are property owners and are assessed for benefits, whereas the remonstrance claims that only three property owners sign the petition. We also find that unless said street be widened there would be practically no outlet from Brackenridge street to Fairchild avenue and practically no opening into Fairchild avenue north of the railroad except Baker street.

A. KELKER, Com.  
E. LINCOLN, Com.  
H. A. READ, Com.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF CITY CLERK FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1885.

Floating debt, Dec. 1, 1885	\$ 613 66
Issued this month as follows, viz:	
Interest on public debt	5,227 50
Taxes refunded	210 85
Paid on fees	13 00
Issued for general purposes	
On account of	
Streets	\$78 26
Street lights	1,419 50
Sewers	731 15
Pub. Grounds and Buildings	1,439 50
General expenses	2 75
Police	1,476 66
Printing	136 66
Fire department	97 67
Salaries	70 00
City scales	60 00
City pound	45 00
Assessing	84 00
	\$ 7,122 76
	\$13,059 87

Cr. by orders redeemed on acct of General purposes \$7,430 70 || Interests on coupons | 5,227 50 |
Taxes refunded	210 85
Publication fees	13 00
	\$12,991 20

Floating debt Jan. 1, 1886 108 87 || Clerk's balance Dr. added | 68,901 84 |
Gives treasurer's bal. cash on hand	\$ 69,100 01
BONDED AND FLOATING DEBT.	
Jan. 1, 1885, bonded debt	\$18,000 00
Jan. 1, 1885, floating debt	446 33
	\$18,446 33
Jan. 1, 1886, bonded debt	\$315,000 00
Jan. 1, 1886, floating debt	108 87
	\$315,108 87

Net decrease in last 12 months \$31,425 89 || W. W. ROCK, City Clerk. | \$ 8,247 11 |
Jan. 1, 1885, cash on hand	\$9,100 01
Jan. 1, 1885, cash on hand	40,922 28
	\$8,247 11

Referred to committee on finance.

REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1885.

Amount in treasury at the close of the month of Dec., as per report	\$80,082 70
Received during month on	
Delinquent list	598 72
For advertising	12 00
For exhibition licenses	32 55
Express wagon licenses	6 25
For liquor licenses	889 40
Pawnbrokers' licenses	25 00
For peddlers' licenses	66 00
Commutation of fines for keeping building tables	19 15
Fines and fees	8 00
Markets	9 00
City scales	150 15
City pound	45 00
H. H. H.	



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PRICE THREE CENTS.

## RUINS

### Mark the Site of St. Mary's Stately Church.

### The Boiler of the Edifice Explodes With Aw- ful Fury.

Anton Evans, the Fireman, is in the  
Debris, and Alberta Wil-  
lard is Dead

Just after one o'clock this afternoon the city was shocked as by a terrific earthquake. Frightened people rushed from stores, shops and houses to learn the cause, and but too soon the shrill top of the fire-bell betokened danger. It was but a moment till the news of the destruction of St. Mary's Catholic church spread and people flocked to the scene of the disaster.

The splendid edifice presented a sorry sight of wreck and ruin. The stained glass windows were shattered and fired fifty feet from their holdings. The heavy front doors were forced out like chaff. The south wall was entirely severed from the main building and it hangs menacingly over the sister's school, which is also wrecked. The back wall is cracked into pieces and the top of it was shot out of place entirely and was pitched over the residence of Rev. Father Oechtering in the rear. The north wall leans in and the toppling of the south wall will heap the structure in disorder.

The interior presents a scene of ruin. The boiler stood in the rear of the altar directly under the main altar. The mountain like structure, with its saintly statuary, gold mountings, rich holdings and sacred treasures was shattered into bits and enveloped itself in flames before the firemen dare venture into the ruins. The vestry rooms, just back of the small side altar, held the priestly vestments and holy vessels. These, together with blessed images and rare decorations, were utterly ruined and piled in something like sublime confusion. Clinging to one small altar was an image of the Virgin Mary holding the dead Christ. St. Joseph's statue lay in a heap of ruins and the carved face of the risen Savior, seen through the debris, seemed to appeal to the elements for mercy. The pulpit and the grand organ hold their places, but are split up and spoiled. The decorated aisle and ceiling plaster fell in dust and the whole interior presents a scene of irreparable loss.

At the moment of the explosion, men women and children were hurrying by. Little Alberta Willard was passing in front of the church. The heavy door struck her with the force of a cannon ball and crushed the life almost instantly out of the little school girl. She was taken to her home on Madison street and died as the doctors diagnosed fractures of her cranium and fatal internal injuries. Blood rushed from her ears, nose and mouth, presenting a sad picture. She was the thirteen-year-old daughter of B. L. P. Willard and a sister of Joe C. Willard, of the postoffice.

The firemen directed water on the ruins until 2:30, and scarcely had they ceased when Chief Hilbrecht and his men forced entrance into the engine room in the cellar. There was a frightful spectacle. Anton Evans, the fireman of the church, lay in a pool of blood. His skull was crushed in and the brain substance ran out on the brick floor, no more to respond to the command of its master. His mouth was intact and his chest suffered little from the concussion, but his arms and lower limbs were fractured and blood from the gaping wounds spotted and soiled the old sexton's clothes.

Mr. Evans was the father of Joe Evans

of H. J. Ash's store, and a brother of Mrs. F. L. Furate. He built a fire to heat the church for morning mass, and to prevent the steam pipes from freezing. There are two theories for the explosion. One is he had no water in the boiler or else he let water into it when the boiler was hot. The steam apparatus was put into the church by Shaw, Kendall & Co., of Toledo, last October and was but preliminary to further improvements next summer.

Rev. Father Oechtering, pastor of the church, is absent from the city and the painful news was telegraphed to him at Milwaukee. His sister, Miss Oechtering, was in the house, near the church, and the explosion prostrated her.

Just before the explosion Rev. Father Romer, assistant priest at St. Mary's, was summoned on a sick call. He started towards the church to possess himself of the sacred host it is customary to carry to the sick. He belthought himself, however, and concluded to see the sufferer and first ascertain his condition.

Scarcely had he left the church a moment when the dreadful explosion occurred. Had he entered the sacred edifice, as he first intended, he would now be numbered with the dead, as his mission would have led him to the main altar, above the boiler.

The sisters have abandoned their residence and school near the church and are kindly sheltered at St. Augustine's academy.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Dwenger, who presides over and is always deeply interested in the affairs of his diocese, is temporarily absent from home at Monroe, Mich., and his private secretary telegraphed him of the great catastrophe. The distinguished prelate is expected home to-night.

The church was built in 1858 at a cost of \$30,000, but \$39,000 in improvements have been added to it since. It is insured for \$24,000 in the agencies represented by Henry Manning and Conrad Neireiter. The congregation is wealthy and it is safe to predict the church will be very speedily rebuilt in grander design than before.

The Gazette and Auditor Griebel.

The Gazette still misrepresents Auditor Griebel in regard to fees charged delinquent tax-payers. We publish the law in full:

SECTION 6,458. COPY; HOW POSTED AND PUBLISHED. The auditor shall cause a copy of such list to be posted on the door of the court house, and also in some public and conspicuous place in each township, at least three weeks before the day of sale; and shall have such list printed in one weekly newspaper of the county for three weeks before each sale. It shall only be necessary in the posted list to state in the aggregate the amount of taxes, penalty, interest and costs due thereon, including the taxes of the current year.

SECTION 6,462. AUDITOR'S FEES. The county auditor shall be entitled to receive for each tax certificate fifty cents, and for each tax deed one dollar, &c.

The auditor acted under the advice of County Attorney Bell and Mr. Charles H. Aldrich. The city does the same under the advice of City Attorney Colerick. It is right and proper, and it seems funny that any attorney should instruct the Gazette otherwise.

"Come, For All Things are Now Ready."

At the Academy of Music, with the thermometer at 19° above on the north side of the house, changing to 70° inside; with seven good heating stoves in full blast; with two organs and one piano and accomplished musicians to touch the keys; with seventy-five voices in harmony ranging from high soprano, contralto and baritone down to bass in O natural; with cushioned arm chairs and with two thorough going, open hearted gospel temperance lecturers on the rostrum, Hughs and Ward, who have been there themselves. What should hinder the Christians and sinners of Fort Wayne from being present to-night and hearing and knowing what our 300 millions are doing for us? Please answer.

As a remedy for accidents common to every day life, such as cuts, bruises, sprains, burns, scalds, frostbites, and bites of poisonous insects, Salvation Oil has no equal in the market. It literally annihilates pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

## A FORGER CAUGHT.

John Powers Confesses He is a  
Fort Wayne Fugitive.

"Come out," said Sergeant O'Donnell to a vag at the police station this morning, who had registered as Frank Powers and who was wanted at the city court prior to transfer to the workhouse.

"But I want to see the sheriff, and I won't come," rejoined the prisoner. And then Sergeant O'Donnell walked into the cell to try persuasive powers, and says Frank, the vag, "My real name is John Powers and I was sent up two years from Fort Wayne for forgery, but I escaped from prison after serving nine months. Now, I want to go back."

This put a new phase upon matters, and Powers was left at the police station until his tale could be verified—says the Indianapolis News.

Powers is telling the truth, as the records here show. Under the name of John Beel he worked for Henry Stellborn, north of town. He forged an order on him and Charley Stellborn, the Calhoun street shoemaker, cashed it for \$10. For this offense he got two years and the case was so remarkable it is quoted in the 87th Indiana reports. The escape of Powers is not recalled, but it known he is the second man in a short time, as Sam Harris gave the prison authorities leg bail some time ago.

## A \$214 VERDICT.

Fred. Trichter Gets that Sum  
Against Jake Baltes.

The jury in the circuit court came in this morning after deliberating all night, and when Judge O'Rourke snapped the paper open it awarded Fred Trichter judgment for \$214 against Jake Baltes, the contractor. Mr. Baltes was excavating for a new building on West Main street. His workmen got too near Trichter's barber shop and the west wall of the tonsorial parlor fell in and out. The suit resulted from that casualty.

Mr. VANDERBILT was not close with his money, but a story is told of him that shows that even he, with all his millions, was averse to throwing it away. One day at Saratoga he asked a friend, a well-known official, to get into a coupe behind his famous brothers, Aldine and Early Rose, and take a spin out to the lake. On the way they came to the Geyser spring, and Mr. Vanderbilt remarked that he never passed it without taking a drink of its water. The boy came out from the spring house with two glasses, and the millionaire emptied his without removing his heavy driving-gloves. It was evident that he could not put the gloved fingers into his whiskered pocket for change, and, besides, the restive horses were prancing about in nervous anxiety to be off. In this juncture his companion put his hand in his pocket and took out a quarter with which to compensate the boy. "Tut, tut," said the millionaire, "put that up; ten cents is plenty."

It used to be a humor of Sarah Bernhardt, when she felt particularly hateful and sour of soul, to get in a coffin and pretend to take a nap. But Bernhardt's playfulness seemed trifling, indeed, in view of the dreadful misadventure of Mme. Natalia, who also trod the French stage. While Mme. Natalia was playing in pantomime at the Folies-Dramatiques, she swooned and passed into the state of rigidity that marks one who is dead. So they put the poor girl into a coffin. But, lo! at the first rap of the hammer on the lid Mme. Natalia awoke and stood up, to the amazement and terror of all at the grave. Mme. Natalia had been in a trance. That was in 1876. She reappeared upon the stage in 1883, and acted for thirty years, retiring then on a pension of 6,475 francs. A few days ago this noted woman was again placed in a coffin, nor did she start when the lid, with melodramatic solemnity, was tapped three times.

THE vicissitudes of life are illustrated by a story in the Chicago Tribune. The other day a poorly-dressed man approached a couple of business men in front of the Board of Trade building, drew one of them aside, and begged a loan of 10 cents. Not many years ago the borrower was one of the heavy operators on 'Change. He was said to literally control the oats crop, and was counted one of the shrewdest of speculators. He owned a fine mansion and fast horses. All at once he lost his grip. He had domestic troubles; he fell and broke his leg; his speculations proved unprofitable, and he went to the wall. He did not come up again.

The most stubborn cases of dyspepsia and sick headache yield to the regulating and tonic influence of Hood's Sassaaparilla. Try it.

## CONGRESS.

The Proceedings of Un-  
usual Interest.

Governor Curtin Resigns the Chair-  
manship of the Banking and Cur-  
rency Committee.

Hon. John Sherman is Re-elected to  
the United States Senate  
from Ohio.

## WASHINGTON.

Active Work in Both Houses To-  
day.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Mr. Hawley is in the senate chair and Mr. Ingalls offered a resolution that in the opinion of the senate compulsory coinage of silver dollars should not be suspended until the aggregate reaches \$500,000,000. Laid over.

Mr. Bowen offered a resolution directing the committee on Indian affairs to inquire into the expediency of removing all Indians into the Indian territory west of Arkansas. Laid over.

The bill to admit Dakota was laid over at Mr. Harrison's request.

The senate concurred in the house amendments to the bill legalizing the territorial legislature of Wyoming.

Mr. Cooke called up Mr. Beck's silver resolution and addressed the senate.

## HOUSE.

Mr. Curtin was excused from duty as chairman of the committee on banking and currency.

The senate bill to legalize the election of the territorial legislative assembly of Wyoming was passed. Adjourned.

## NOTES.

It is stated that Col. Hughes East will be appointed secretary of Idaho Territory.

Senator Sherman will leave here for Columbus by the Baltimore and Ohio road at 10 o'clock this evening, and expects to arrive at Columbus at 1:15 p. m. to-morrow.

The president will give a state dinner at the white house to-morrow night to members of his cabinet, the lieutenant general of the army, admiral of the navy and a few other invited guests.

Senator Harrison has introduced the petition of G. A. Campbell Post G. A. R., of Kosciusko county, asking for the enactment of a law granting a service pension to all union soldiers and sailors of the late war.

The senate has confirmed the appointments of Hon. Alfred P. Edgerton, of Fort Wayne, Ind.; Hon. W. L. Trenchum, of Charleston, S. C., and Hon. Dorman B. Eaton, of New York, to be civil service commissioners.

The postmaster-general yesterday appointed the following fourth-class postmasters for Indiana: Wm. A. Shorer, at Goschen, Vigo county, vice O. B. Owens; Wm. Hardin, at Rockland, Johnson county, vice R. M. Banta; Alfred Kelly, at Waterloo, DeKalb county, office ceased to be a presidential one.

The senate passed Senator Harrison's bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue a duplicate certificate of deposit for \$10,000 to the People's National Bank of Lawrenceburg, the original of which, issued by the assistant treasurer of the United States at Cincinnati, had been destroyed by the overflow of the Ohio river in February, 1884.

The senate has postponed the time for the memorial services in honor of the late Vice President Hendricks from the 20th to the 28th inst. This will give a number of the senators time to prepare their addresses, among whom are Mr. Everts, of New York. Memorial day in the house will be fixed for about the 30th inst.

## JOHN SHERMAN

Is Again Chosen to the United  
States Senate.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 13.—The senate and house met in joint convention at noon to-day and elected John Sherman to the United States Senate. It required 74 votes to elect. Mr. Sherman received 84 votes and Allen G. Thurman 62.

Bradlaugh Poses as a Hero in  
Parliament.

By Cable to THE SENTINEL.  
LONDON, Jan. 13.—Bradlaugh stalked the floor of the house of commons in a

defiant manner, kissed the bible, shook hands with the speaker, and drove away directly after being sworn in.

Rome, Jan. 13.—Russia has asked the Vatican to reopen negotiations for a closer relationship between that country and the Vatican.

## A COUNTY'S DELINQUENCY.

Huntington County Fails to  
Make a Settlement With  
the State.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13.—The treasurer of Huntington county has failed to make the semi-annual settlement with the state required on the 1st of January, and inquiry in regard to the matter discloses the fact that the money due from the county is not in the hands of the treasurer. In explanation, the state auditor says that the Huntington county treasurer reported to him that the money had been paid out by mistake, and that he had expected to raise funds by negotiating bonds which had been issued upon the authority of the county commissioners, but it was found at the last moment that they had not been advertised for sale in accordance with the law, and time would be required to comply with this provision of the statute. It is stated, further, that the funds in the county treasury were exhausted by the payment to the Chicago and Atlantic railroad company of \$9,000 appropriated by a township in aid of the enterprise, when the money had really not been collected. This was irregular, the auditor states, because the treasurer had no authority for using the money belonging to any fund for any but its specific purposes. The county commissioners have no authority to divert the money in any fund; and in the payment of a railroad appropriation, as in this instance, they should first have made an investigation to see that all the conditions had been fully complied with. If the money appropriated had not been received by the treasurer, he should not have used other funds to pay the claim. The use of the funds belonging to the state and the failure to make that settlement at the time fixed are violations of the law. The counties of Marion, Warren and Perry haven't settled yet.

Bounded indebtedness of Marion county is \$300,000; short time loan, \$50,000.

The indications for the lower lake region, as reported by the weather bureau at Washington to THE SENTINEL, are as follows: Warner, cloudy weather with local snows, followed by fair weather; southerly winds, falling barometer.

A RECENT traveler in Spain tells how the children in Grenada played at bull fighting. One boy, holding a pair of wooden horns on his head, represented the bull. Other boys, mounted on each other's backs, were picadors, while others again, with their jackets in their hands were supposed to be matadors and chulos. The bull would stamp his foot and rear, then make a rush at one of the chulos, whose jacket was thrown up by the wooden horns, but whose body was never touched. Then the bull would charge one of the picadors, whereupon the boy playing horse would throw himself to the ground and allow himself to be properly gored.

Gov. ARBETT, of New Jersey, has in hand a great fight—the fight against death. "I will live to serve out my term as Governor," he said a few days ago. "I have will-power enough to do that." There is an abscess back of his ear. "It broke on the outside, thus saving my life," said he to an interviewer. "If it had broken on the inside it would have killed me. A rubber tube is inserted in the orifice and then a suction-pump is applied for five minutes every day, causing me to grit my teeth with pain, though I never holler out." He has given up all night work and most of his day work.

He fell with a thud in the skating rink and the accident caused a wild turmoil. But he pulled out a bottle and quick as a wink,

His bruises were healed by St. Jacobs Oil.

REV. H. B. ERRELL, of Pavilion, N. Y., says of Gilmore's Aromatic Wine: "I believe it to be a most desirable remedy to be placed in every family."

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The Orange Interest of Florida Dam-  
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Other Items.

Texas Enveloped in a Sheet of Snow  
and Dead Cattle Lie on the  
Prairie.

## DOWN SOUTH.

The Storm Does Greatest Dam-  
age Ever Known.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—This has been the longest and severest cold spell ever felt in Florida. The loss in oranges on trees, according to Captain Ives, manager of the Florida fruit exchange is \$1,000,000. The loss to vegetables is immense, some men having sixty and 100 acres killed. Skating was indulged in upon the ponds, a scene never before witnessed in Florida. All growers say the trees are in splendid condition to withstand the freeze, owing to the severe weather previous. Thawing will probably leave things in a more hopeful condition.

WACO, Texas, Jan. 13.—The storm which swept over Texas since last Thursday is without parallel in this part of Texas in its extent, severity and duration. Intelligence from the cattle ranches state that affairs are of the gloomiest character. The loss in cattle will be great and enormous, it is stated, can be seen far and near, strewn the barren prairies. A heavy snow storm set in late Monday night and Texas, from the Sabine to the Rio Grande and from the Red river to the gulf, is covered to a depth varying from two inches to one foot of snow. The indications this morning point to another snow fall equally as heavy.

## A BIG HAUL.

A Stage Coach Held Up and  
Robbed.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 13.—A dispatch was received last evening by General Howard, commander of the department of the Platt, from Fort Robinson, stating that a daring robbery had been committed about eighteen miles from the fort. The stage coach running between Chadron and Fort Robinson was stopped by a party of masked men, and \$5,000 in gold, intended for payment of the troops at Fort Robinson was taken.

## KNIGHTS OF LABOR

Indicted for Insulting a Judge.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 13.—The grand jury has indicted the presidents of Trade's union, of the Typographical union and of the Pressman's union, for criminal libel in having carried in the trade parade of November, a banner bearing the device, "Fined \$200 for being union men." The grand jury pronounces it a libel on the court.

## Steamers Ice Bound.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamers Old Dominion, bound for New York, and Ashland, for Philadelphia, left their wharves here last evening for their destinations, but owing to the ice in the river, failed to pass downward at and midnight were ice bound about a mile below the city.

## Murdered by a Convict.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 13.—Sheriff Diggins, of Colfax county, was killed yesterday in the jail at Schuyler by a prisoner named Lapeur, who struck him over the head with a heavy club, fracturing his skull. Lapeur then attempted to escape but was captured.

## Fire Record.

By Telegram to THE SENTINEL.  
ROSTON, Mass., Jan. 13.—The four story brick establishment of Sovey & Co., manufacturers of stamped tin and iron ware, Cambridgeport, burned last night. The loss will reach \$80,000; insurance, \$55,000.

## In the Dear Old Days.

We differ in creed and politics, but we are a unit all the same on the desirability of a fine head of hair. If you mourn the loss of this blessing and ornament, a bottle or two of Parker's Hair Balsam will make you look as you did in the dear old days. It is worth trying. It is the only standard 60c article for the hair.

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# The Daily Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1886.

## THE CITY.

John Evans went to New York last night.

Mr. P. J. Fallon, who has been quite ill, is almost well again.

Mrs. Joseph Wood and family have returned from Harrisburg, Pa.

The Fort Wayne Bell Union will meet on Friday, Jan. 15, at 2 p. m.

Esquire Charles Hays paid \$17 as fines into the county treasury yesterday.

Mr. A. C. Trentmann now sets behind a costly office desk, the gift of his employer.

Doc Zellars and Fred Bucholtz, of Huntington, attended a wedding here last night.

There were no offenders at police court this morning and police news is nearly scarce.

Wm. F. King and Laura Nye, Wm. Leazier and Rose Ann Davis have been licensed to wed.

Rev. H. G. Mendenhall will conduct the services in the Third Presbyterian church this evening.

The county commissioners were today signing bonds and coupons. They sell the bonds Friday.

John Baker, an incorrigible lad from Monroeville, was committed to the reform school yesterday.

Fifteen coops of poultry have entered already for the poultry show to be held here February 10th to 17th.

The chimney issuing from the Grasmiller boarding house blazed high last night and created some alarm.

Mr. Mason Long, the evangelist, is writing a life of Christ. He has been at work on the volume for two years.

The last will of Daniel Buskirk was filed for probate yesterday. The paper bequeaths all his property to Mrs. Buskirk.

Mrs. Victoria Fanning, of New London, Ohio, is in the city visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Tiffles, of 177 Griffith street.

Mrs. Frank Wolfe and E. W. Cook, of the Wahash freight office, returned this morning from a flying visit to Chicago.

The employees of the Grand Rapids and Richmond roads were paid to-day. The Pittsburgh pay car will come here next Saturday.

Engineer James Southern pays his respects to over-zealous physicians who have been writing about the prevalence of sickness in the family of his son.

Mr. Cass Hunter, deputy county treasurer, was yesterday given a handsome silver water pitcher by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter, of Huntertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffman gave a very pleasant party to about 200 invited guests at their new residence, No. 49 West Main. Music and dancing were features of the evening entertainment.

"The editor spent the afternoon of New Year's day at Fort Wayne, making the rounds of 'old acquaintance' under the escort of that prince of good fellows, Hon. Montgomery Hamilton," says the *Courier* *Headlight*.

Levi Kessler the murderer of Lex Harner, confined in the Auburn jail, is very reticent and refuses to converse. It is said that he is working the insanity dodge for all there is in it, and that his attorneys will try to save his neck on that plea.

"Quite a large number of the members of the G. A. R. post of this place, went to Fort Wayne to-day to pay a visit to Mr. Foster, commander of the department of Indiana," says the *Warsaw Times*. Colonel Foster was at Lafayette yesterday and did not meet the veterans.

Passenger train No. 42 of the Wahash, struck a broken rail at Peru yesterday morning, and three coaches and a sleeper went off the track, badly shaking up the passengers, but fortunately injuring no one. Eight or ten rails were broken in the rounds and the roadway blocked.

This is the record of the first bicycle owned in Indiana. It is a Columbia, and was first the property of C. W. Edgerton, of Fort Wayne. It has been sold ten times, and over twenty-five men learned to ride on it. The following prices have been paid for it: \$32 50, \$30, \$50, \$50, \$10, \$50, \$25, \$15, \$30; total, \$182.50. One man has owned it and sold it three times. It is now a wreck.

The cooks and waiters of the city gave their first annual ball at Arion hall last night. The plump housewives were whirled in the entrancing waltz, gay youths smiled on the fairest girls, and thus ran the merriest until daybreak almost peeped in on the throng and served as a reminder that "the governor must have his pancakes and coffee." A description of the costumes is necessarily crowded out, but the public can stand it, as the boys and girls will give a masquerade ball on February 22.

George P. Evans is at Indianapolis, the guest of the Grand hotel.

Rev. Webb will officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Charles Brisley to-morrow.

The ice men are storing the congealed hereabouts and find it pretty thick and clear.

Henry J. Meyer, of the firm of Meyer Bros., the druggists, has returned to St. Louis.

Charles O. Meyer yesterday filed his bond as a notary public and was commissioned.

Supt. George Stevens, of the Wahash, passed through here east this morning in his private car.

The Misses Lizzie and Minnie Geller, left last evening for Chicago to visit relatives and friends.

Klikenberg & Detzer open their drug store on the corner of Calhoun and Berry streets, January 14.

E. F. Yarnella was elected treasurer and W. D. Page secretary of the city hospital yesterday evening.

Mr. Ben H. Moyses, formerly with A. S. Laufferty, is in the city. Mr. Moyses is in business at Leland, Miss.

Mr. E. L. Crow and J. R. Ross have established an insurance, real estate and loan office in the Seidel block, this city.

Barney Hazard has been granted a permit to build an addition to his barn, on lot 10, north side addition, to cost \$65.

A number of friends were pleasantly entertained by Miss Emma Seales, at her home, No. 19 Baker street, Monday evening.

Rev. Fred Kammerer and family, of Arapahoe, Neb., are in the city, the guests of Clara Kott, the father of Mrs. Kammerer.

Yesterday was Miss Emma Koegel's birthday anniversary and last evening a party given in honor of the occasion at her home on Broadway.

Dr. VanBuskirk and wife and only child will leave to-night for Orville, Ohio, to spend a week the guests of Mrs. VanBuskirk's family.

John Forbush yesterday sold the property of Gust Melnowski to C. R. Jacobs. Glutting, Baner & Michael did not buy nor sell the property.

Thos. Adelsperger, South Bend, Carl B. Swaine and T. F. Holland, Indianapolis, and D. H. Clifford, Waterloo, are registered at the Alford house.

Judge Hench has been unable as yet to get a jurist to hear the Little River ditch case. Judge Kibbey, of Richmond, declined and Judge Hench may have to preside at the trial himself.

The Scotchmen of Fort Wayne are shortly to have a curling game on ice. The contestants are: Rick 1—Tom Kavanagh, skip, John Gilke, John Kidd, Fred McLeish. Rick 2—D. McKay, skip, Frank McLeish, Walter A. Langtry, Bird Wiley.

Lot Dixon, the courteous Pittsburg conductor, was at the scene of the ruins of St. Mary's church with his handsome cutter and dashing steed, and kindly conveyed the superintendents of the sisters from her shattered home to her convent people as St. Peter's church.

Emil Zollinger, of New York, who separated from his brother Charles at the time of immigration in 1852, has written to Pension Agent Zollinger, hopeful that he was the one. Colonel Zollinger, however, is not related, he coming with his father's family to this country in 1849.

James O. Jouney, assignor to the Fort Wayne Electric Light company, Fort Wayne, and lamp regulator; Elias Lathrop, assignor to Fleming Manufacturing company, Fort Wayne, road scraper. Patents were granted on these inventions at Washington yesterday.

W. J. Hawksworth, Jimmie Doyle and Billy Streicher were before the foot lights at the Metropolitan theatre last night. Hawksworth and Streicher indulged in a wrestling match in which Streicher was floored badly. Hawksworth, who is an all-around athlete, boxed with Jimmy Doyle and won the contest. The next contest is Friday night.

It is stated that D. W. Caldwell, receiver of the Nickel Plate road, and general manager, as well, came out flat footed against consolidating the Traders' Dispatch with the other Erie lines, he claimed that the Traders' Dispatch was a Nickel Plate fast freight line. The Lehigh Valley people, as well, objected to the arrangement, and President Knight was finally converted into the belief that it would be better for the Erie people to allow the old running arrangement to continue.

We are informed that Mr. Walker, of Indianapolis, has returned home and given up all idea of purchasing the *Gazette*. We are very sorry as Mr. Walker is a talented and very pleasant gentleman. He stands high in the profession at Indianapolis. It is thought now that Mr. Keil will continue to edit and own the paper. The *Gazette* is good property and will always take the lead as a morning paper in Fort Wayne on account of its owning the morning telegraph franchise of the Associated Press, the name a *THE SENTINEL* owns for an afternoon paper.

# ITS ANNUAL.

Albert S. Bond Succeeds R. F. Keath as Superintendent of the Organ Factory.

The Fort Wayne Organ company met last night and elected the following officers and directors: President, S. B. Bond, secretary, Chas. E. Bond; treasurer and superintendent, Albert S. Bond. Directors, O. A. Simons, J. H. Bass, S. B. Bond, C. E. Bond, A. S. Bond and James M. Barrett. The company has displaced Mr. R. F. Keath as superintendent. Mr. Keith came here some fourteen years ago when the factory was opened. He has pushed the institution to unexampled prosperity. He sold his interest in the works to-day and in a short time expects to leave the city although he hates to part with his friends here. He is local commander of the Knights Templar and personally as clever gentleman whom it will be a loss to lose. Mr. Albert S. Bond, who succeeds Mr. Keith as superintendent of the organ factory, is the eldest son of Mr. S. B. Bond. He has worked his way up through the factory from the humblest place and is thoroughly trained in every branch of the business. He is a very pleasant young gentleman of good business capacity and unalloyed integrity.

The Fort Wayne organ factory is one of the strongest in the country. There is a big surplus in its treasury and instruments are sold in every state and territory in America. Their fame is too across the water and *THE SENTINEL* expects to record it as world wide ere many years elapse.

# MR. EATON TO RESIGN.

One of His Colleagues on the Commission Says He will Retire February 1.

"The stories that have been printed about my contemplated resignation," said Civil Service Commissioner Edgerton to a *National Republican* reporter last night, "are very amusing. They have confounded me with Mr. Eaton, who will resign on February 1. It is he, and not I, who will resign. Here's one paper which has a half column editorial of grave regret on the subject, and others have devoted much space to it."

The resignation of Mr. Eaton will leave a vacancy on the commission which will be filled by the appointment of a republican from New York or Massachusetts, as the northern and eastern sections are not represented. Mr. Trenholm coming from the south and Mr. Edgerton from the west. It is said that the president has already decided upon the successor to Mr. Eaton.

# EDUCATORS MEET.

Supt. J. S. Irwin and Others Prepare Examination Papers.

The state board of education was in quarterly session at the Bates house, Indianapolis, with the following members present: State Superintendent, Holcombe, Indianapolis Superintendent Jones, President Parsons, of the state normal, Smart, of Purdue, and Jordan, of the Bloomingtown university, Superintendent Cooper, of Evansville, and Dr. J. S. Irwin, of Fort Wayne. The purpose of the meeting was to prepare questions for examinations for state and professional licenses. Applicants for the former must have taught school for at least forty months, of which sixteen must have been in the state, and he must attain a general average of 75 per cent, and not fall below 60 per cent, in any branch. The board concluded its work last evening.

# ENTERTAINMENTS.

Joe Murphy, the Irish comedian, will present "Kerry Gow" at the Temple opera house to-night. Mr. Murphy has often been seen here in "Kerry Gow," but never has failed to please. His son's, his wit and his handsome face make him a favorite and always welcome.

The Temple management offer a splendid attraction Saturday night, in a "Midnight Marriage." It is a French romance of the sixteenth century. The leading characters in the piece will be taken by Mr. Redmond and Mrs. Berry, both of whom have for years been the leading people at the Boston theatre. One of the charming features of the play will be the rich costumes.

# Real Estate Transfers.

Olds Bros., real estate agents, room No. 8, Foster block, report the following recorded real estate transfers:

David A. May to Louise J. Martin, by warranty deed, part of lot 40, old plat, of Monroeville, for \$800.

Chas. H. Aldrich to Chas. S. Bash, by warranty deed, lot 10, Charles Hanna's addition, for \$250.

"When will the average citizen stop spending half of his hard earnings on cigars and tobacco? Give it up? Well, when he finds out that he can do without tobacco and cigars, but can't keep up without the infallible remedy, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. One bottle twenty-five cents.

# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

Of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

REGULAR SESSION, JAN. 12, 1886.

The common council of the city of Fort Wayne met in the council chamber Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, A. D. 1886, in regular session. His honor Mayor Mulder presided, and present the following members: Aldermen, Lincoln, Michael, Mohr, Prentiss, Rechner, Reed, Schell, Schorn, Schwartz, Treseult, Wells and Wolfe.

Absent—Councilman Kolker.

The minutes of the last regular session having been read and approved, the councilmen were on motion approved as published.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills were, on motion, allowed: Street Commissioner's pay roll, \$242 57; Henry G. Berghoff (money advanced), 1 00; Keil Bros., 1 00; Wilson Bros., 1 00; Little & Munson, 17 95; Waterbury & Spa, 50 00; Wilson McGowan, 50 00; Kubbe & Co., 50 00; B. A. K. Buckett, 10 77; S. C. Lyndberg, 16 00; Wm. McGowan, 50 00; Root & Co., 50 00; H. C. Berghoff, 49 58; Elk Toluene, 1 00; Hattersey & Son, 1 00; George B. Wells, 31 70; Staats Zeitung, 15 00; H. C. Berghoff, 15 00; Stauch Brothers, 50 00; F. B. Pickard, 9 95.

BILLS REFERRED.

The bill of the Central Union Telephone company for \$18.00 was referred to the committee on public grounds and buildings.

PETITIONS.

H. Westrum presented the council to reconsider the report of the committee on streets refusing him an extension of time to complete his work on Thomas and Washington streets. Not granted.

A. H. Barker asked relief from the sewer assessment against lot 23 and east half of lot 22, Taber's addition, as said property cannot be drained into the sewer for which it is taxed. Referred to the committee on streets.

Daniel Lochner submitted a petition, lots 34 and 35, Little's out-lots, which he has subdivided and seeks the approval of the council. Referred to the committee on streets and aldermen and city civil engineer.

William E. Miner asked the council to remit \$1.44 taxes collected on subdivision 12, to-wit, range 12 east, as said property was not legally annexed and not justly subject to taxation. Referred to the committee on finance, city treasurer and city attorney.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

1. We have examined the reports of the treasurer and the committee on streets and found them to agree with the books in the respective offices.

2. We have checked and destroyed orders, bonds and coupons amounting to \$14,454.22 and have reissued for the same to the city.

3. As the new tax duplicate is now open to taxpayers and on conditions will on that account be made a matter of the treasury, we think it the proper time to permit the disposal of the cash means which are now at the disposal of the council for general purposes, and to submit our estimate of the amount that will remain on hand on the first day of April, about which date the taxes for 1886 will become due. The balance to amount of general fund on December 31, 1885, amounted to \$51,255.14. Allowance for the year's current expenditures the three ensuing months will reduce that amount to \$27,000, which sum may be safely relied upon as a real surplus on the first of April.

4. The sinking fund contains at this time \$24,000 more than is needed to pay \$4,000 of bonds maturing this year, leaving the entire collection of the sinking fund to be made in the month of May. We recommend the council to apply on the bonds maturing in May. We congratulate the common council upon this favorable exhibit in view of the unfavorable conditions that have been made for special purposes. Like the new engine, and the settlement of disputed taxes, and we desire to express our regard for the ability as well as the honesty of the clerk and treasurer, both of whom have rendered us valuable assistance and accorded us unvarying courtesy.

JOHN MOHR, JR., Com.  
Geo. W. Ely, } Com.

CONCURRED IN.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY.

We, your committee to whom was referred the ordinance introduced by Councilman Keil, relating to the sale of fish, fowls and meats and the disposition of the same, would recommend fully and for further time to make such report, deeming it of such importance as to demand further consideration.

Geo. W. Ely, } Com.  
JOHN MOHR, JR., } Com.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENT AND TAXES.

Your committee, to whom was referred the petition of the Baker heirs, would recommend that the same be referred to the old arbitration committee, and that the treasurer and city attorney be added.

CHRISTIAN TRESEULT, } Com.  
J. R. PRENTISS, } Com.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FIRE.

1. We have, according to the instruction of the council, hired two additional minute men, and one additional driver; we have given one of the drivers the sum of \$8, and also had a telephone placed in the seventh ward engine house for \$20 per year.

2. We also recommend to this council that the committee on fire be instructed to advertise for bids for a new fire engine, to be purchased for the city at both engine houses for the term of one year.

3. We also report to the council that while we have moved part of the fire engine house of the seventh ward engine house, we are in need of one additional house and one one-horse wagon, for at the present time it is not safe for the chief to take a horse to the tower, and shop without crippling the department, and which might be dangerous to the city if a fire would break out, and in case of a horse getting sick it would be the same thing and therefore in our opinion it is not safe for the city to run any risk of that kind. We therefore recommend that one additional horse and one one-horse wagon be bought for said department.

W. JOHNSON, } Com.  
PETER J. SCHNEIDER, } Com.  
H. A. READ, } Com.

CONCURRED IN.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GAS AND STREET LIGHTS.

Your committee on gas and street lights beg leave to report the attached statement of Mr. H. C. Griffe, president of the Joyney Electric Light and Gas company, in reference to the erection of two towers on the east side of the city at both engine houses for the term of one year.

Referred back to committee to ascertain whether tower can remain on old grounds during present lease with Electric Light company or not.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 11, 1886.

To Messrs. Henry Reed, J. R. Prentiss and Anthony Keilke, electric light committee: Gentlemen: In reply to your communication in reference to the erection of two new towers, would say that we recognize the fact that a contract compels us to build these towers and we willingly do so. But one of the locations necessary to put in private property, and we understand the owner of the property, or the parties controlling it, in giving their consent to have the tower erected on their property, reserve the right to order the removal of the tower at will. Before erecting this tower, we would want it distinctly understood that in case the tower should be ordered removed it should be at the expense of the city. It is also necessary to erect the towers, would say it can be done within ten or twelve days after we get foundations for the towers. The time necessary to put in foundations, of course, will depend upon the kind of weather we have; but we can assure you it will be done as expeditiously as possible, and we desire to not in any way delay you, and we desire to not in any way delay you, and we desire to not in any way delay you.

In regard to the low lights, we would say we have now completed all but twenty-three, and out of the twenty-three we have six poles already erected, and for the remainder of the winter will permit, we can have them all completed within ten or fifteen days.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory, we remain, Sirs, your obedient servants.

HENRY C. GRIFFE, President  
Joyney Electric Light and Power Co.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.

1. The Gas Light company's bill applied to the city for the use of the city for a service and gas motor and in return for the same, we recommend the same be paid.

2. Regarding the city pound, we find the

same in a fair condition, but do not think the poundmaster is doing what is required of him.

JOHN WESSELL, JR., } Com.  
CHRISTIAN TRESEULT, } Com.

First section referred back to committee on public grounds and buildings to ascertain whether ordered gas in building. Second section received and filed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

Your committee to whom was referred the bill presented by Sentinel company, for printing, we examined and found same correct, we therefore recommend payment of same.

J. SCHWARTZ, } Com.  
P. J. SCHWARTZ, } Com.

CONCURRED IN.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE IN MATTER OF VIOLATING BRACKENRIDGE STREET.

We, your special committee to whom was referred the report of the city commissioners in reference to the widening of Brackenridge street and the removal of property holders thereon, respectfully report that we have made a careful examination of the subject and believe the report of said commissioners to be fair, just and equitable and therefore recommend that their report on said subject be accepted and the remonstrance thereto filed. We further find, after an examination of both the petition and remonstrance, that several parties have signed both the petition and remonstrance. We further find that there are twenty signers to the petition who are property owners and are unopposed to the widening of Brackenridge street, and that the remonstrance claims that only three property owners sign the petition. We also find that unless said street is opened there would be no remonstrance to the widening of Brackenridge street to Fifth and Sixth streets, practically no opening into Fairfield avenue north of the railroad except Baker street.

H. A. READ, } Com.  
H. A. READ, } Com.

CONCURRED IN.

REPORT OF CITY CLERK FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1885.

Floating debt, Dec. 1, 1885, \$ 615 60  
Issued this month as follows, viz:  
Interest on public debt, 5,227 50  
Taxes refunded, 210 95  
Publication fees, 12 00  
Total, \$ 5,955 05

On account of:  
Street lights, \$573 23  
Street lighting, 1,449 50  
Sewers, 751 16  
Pub. Grounds and Build., 1,813 94  
General expenses, 2 75  
Police, 1,475 68  
Printing, 126 68  
Fire department, 900 47  
Salaries, 70 00  
City scales, 60 00  
City pound, 45 00

Total, \$ 7,122 76

Cr. by orders redeemed, on acct of General purposes, \$7,122 76  
Interest on coupons, 5,227 50  
Taxes refunded, 210 95  
Publication fees, 12 00  
Total, \$12,592 21

Floating debt Jan. 1, 1886, 188 87  
Clerk's balance Dr. added, 65,901 84  
Gives treasurer's bal. cash on hand \$ 69,100 01

DONDED AND FLOATED DEBT.

Jan. 1, 1886, bonded debt, \$18,000 00  
Jan. 1, 1886, floating debt, 445 81  
Total, \$18,445 81

Jan. 1, 1886, bonded debt, \$18,000 00  
Jan. 1, 1886, floating debt, 195 87  
Total, \$18,195 87

Jan. 1, 1886, cash on hand, \$ 69,100 01  
Jan. 1, 1886, cash on hand, 49,922 28  
Total, \$119,022 29

Net decrease in last 12 months, \$7,122 76  
W. W. ROBINSON, City Clerk.

Referred to committee on finance.

REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1885.

Amount in treasury at the close of the month of Dec., as per report, \$80,032 79

Received during month on:  
Poll tax, 693 72  
For collecting fines, 126 68  
For exhibition licenses, 32 25  
Express wagon licenses, 4 25  
For liquor licenses, 850 00  
For vendors' licenses, 25 00  
For peddlers' licenses, 50 00

Amount of fines for keeping billiard tables, 10 15  
Fines and fees, 126 68  
Markets, 7 49  
City scales, 150 15  
City pound, 45 00  
H. H. BROWN, Jr., City Treasurer.

Cr. by orders redeemed on acct of general purposes as follows:  
Sewers, 751 16  
Streets, 1,449 50  
Street lighting, 1,449 50  
Pub. grounds, buildings, 1,813 94  
General expenses, 2 75  
Police, 1,475 68  
Printing, 126 68  
Fire department, 921 67  
Salaries, 70 00  
City scales, 60 00  
City pound, 45 00  
City park notes, 90 00

Total, \$11,008 43

Cr. by orders redeemed on acct of general purposes as follows:  
Sewers, 751 16  
Streets, 1,449 50  
Street lighting, 1,449 50  
Pub. grounds, buildings, 1,813 94  
General expenses, 2 75  
Police, 1,475 68  
Printing, 126 68  
Fire department, 921 67  
Salaries, 70 00  
City scales, 60 00  
City pound, 45 00  
City park notes, 90 00

Total, \$11,008 43

LEADER BALANCES AT CLOSE OF MONTH.

Cash, \$ 69,100 01  
General fund, \$ 51,255 14  
Interest on public debt, 5,227 50  
Sinking fund, 1,475 68  
Tax duplicate, 210 95  
Taxes refunded, 210 95  
Street scales, 60 00  
Water works, 474 00  
Publication fees, 12 00

Total, \$120,310 94  
HENRY C. GRIFFE, City Treasurer.

Referred to the committee on finance.

Auction.

\$10,000 worth of dry goods, notions, boots and shoes, the entire stock of T. Fleming, Kiser's old stand, to be sold at auction, commencing Saturday, January 16. Sales at 10:30 a. m., 1:20 and 7 p. m. each day until all is sold.

On a cold morning parched corn, hot from the oven, is a good breakfast for laying hens.

DR. BULL'S  
Cough  
SYRUP

Cures Cough, Cold, Hoarseness, Croup, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Influenza, Consumption, and all other pulmonary diseases. It is a powerful expectorant, and induces the expectoration of the diseased material. It is a safe and reliable remedy, and is sold in all drug stores. A full bottle is sent by mail for 25 cents. A full bottle is sent by mail for 25 cents. A full bottle is sent by mail for 25 cents.

Cheer Lange's Place. The great Tobacco Auction—Price 10 Cts.—Sold by all Druggists.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

To the Deacons of Wayne Township: In pursuance with the wishes of my friends and neighbors generally, I have decided to be a candidate for trustee of Wayne Township in the democratic township nominating convention in April next.

Truly yours,  
CHRISTIAN F. A. BAKER.